

REMARKS

The applicant has carefully reviewed the application in light of the Office Action dated December 29, 2008. Applicant amends Claims 37, 77 and 85.

Allowable Subject Matter

Applicant thanks the Examiner for the indication that Claims 26, 27, 29, 30, 32-35, 38-44, 46, 48-55, 57-66, 68-73, 75, 76, 78-81, 83, 84 and 86-92 are allowed. These claims are not amended.

Objections

The Examiner objected to Claims 37, 77 and 85 as depending from cancelled claims. Presently, the dependency of these claims are amended to depend from a non-cancelled claim.

The disclosure is objected to because of the following informalities: the continuing information on the first few pages of the specification requires updating to show the status of the related applications. Presently, the continuing information is updated as requested.

CONCLUSION

Applicants have now made an earnest attempt to place this case in condition for allowance. For the foregoing reasons, and for other reasons clearly apparent, Applicants respectfully request full allowance of all Claims.

If the present application is not allowed and/or if one or more of the rejections is maintained, Applicants hereby request a telephone conference with the Examiner and further request that the Examiner contact the undersigned attorney to schedule the telephone conference.

Applicant hereby attaches a separate request for extension of time for three (3) months. The extension of time filing fee in the amount of **\$1110** is being paid concurrently herewith on the Electronic Filing System (EFS) by way of Deposit Account authorization.

No other fees are believed to be due. However, please apply any deficiencies or any other required fees or any credits to deposit account 06-1050, referencing the attorney docket number shown above.

Respectfully submitted,

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